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PRESIDENT: The Legislature will please be in order. I'm delighted that so many people heeded the . . . Senator Mahoney's admonition to be here promptly. Record your presence. Yeah, where's Senator Mahoney? There he is, way to go Mr. Chairman. Would you record your presence please. Would the Sergeant-at-Arms find the rest of the Senators please. Please record your presence.

CLERK: Senator Syas asked to be excused Monday and Tuesday.

PRESIDENT: Record please Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: . . . and further in the week until he returns. Quorum present Mr. President.

Mr. President, your committee, Enrollment and Review, reports we have examined and reviewed LB 259A and recommend it be placed on Select File; LB 198 replaced on Select File as amended. Signed, Senator Dworak, Chairman. That's all Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: We're very happy to announce that we have some visiting groups with us this afternoon. In the North balcony Senator Bereuter advises that there are 26 fifth and sixth graders from Goehner, Nebraska. Also in the South balcony, from Senator DeCamp's district, are 21 eighth graders from Clear Water, Nebraska. Welcome to all of you. It's a real sacrifice to be in here. A lot more fun out on a nice Spring day. We're glad to have you inside today. Thank you for coming.

LB 381 on General File.

CLERK: Mr. President, there are still pending . . .

PRESIDENT: Oh yes, excuse me.

CLERK: Mr. President, one further amendment by Senator Chambers on 35 . . . correction, 381. On page 16, line 3, after the first comma insert "violations for driving without a valid operators license in the operators possession". Signed, Senator Chambers.

PRESIDENT: Chair recognizes Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, because some of the other amendments I had may be controversial and there are very few people here, I'm going to try to get this one adopted and let the bill move to Select File. Then I'll try to get the amendments there when there are more people here. This is the amendment which will do away with assessing points for a person not having a drivers license in his or her possession. The wording was taken from the statute that deals with driving without a license. So I think it should be clear that this relates only to a situation where you are the possessor of a valid license but you don't have it on your person at the time you're stopped. There simply would not be points assessed in a situation like that. That is the purpose of this amendment. That is what I believe it accomplishes.